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RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTIONCommissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 17, 2002,
kindly amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

3. (Amended) A method for servicing an inkjet printer including an inkjet printhead with a nozzle plate and a first service module removably installed on the printer, comprising:

identifying a printhead-related service condition not adequately addressed by servicing the printer with the first service module in an un-used condition;

providing a second service module with a service function different from the first service module and adapted to address said printhead-related service condition;

providing a set of instructions for using the second service module with the inkjet printer to the printer user.

5. (Amended) A method for servicing an inkjet printer including an inkjet printhead with a nozzle plate and a first service module removably installed on the printer, comprising:

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